

Evening Telegraph

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1866.

An Inside View of Mexican Affairs.

The remarkable letter from General BINCOURT to General DOUAY, of the French expeditionary army in Mexico, which has just been made public, shows how completely the bottom is falling out of Maximilian's empire.

This, it must be confessed, is an inside view of affairs which shows the empire to be falling to pieces at a most rapid rate.

What gives this letter additional weight, is the fact that General BINCOURT is one of LOUIS NAPOLEON'S favorite officers, having achieved great distinction in the Algerian campaigns.

Evidently we have but to let things take their natural course in Mexico, and MAXIMILIAN'S empire must break down from its own inherent weakness.

It is a knowledge of these facts, doubtless, which has led our Government to take such a decided stand with Austria in regard to her sending reinforcements to MAXIMILIAN.

The progress of events is justifying the pacific course of Mr. SEWARD hitherto, and is showing the folly of those who would have rushed the nation into reckless war, to secure in the end no more than we are now getting as the fruits of wise diplomacy.

"The Franklin Fund."

The regular audit to which the "Franklin Fund," of Boston, is subjected every twenty years, and which occurred a few weeks since, has recalled to the public attention a curious clause of the will of FRANKLIN which is well worthy of notice.

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files of the Union, they were still under the rightful jurisdiction of the Union, but they were not States in the Union.

Now, we do not believe that a State can voluntarily withdraw—secede—from all participation in the government of the Union, after all of its constitutional obligations, make war upon the Union, and yet at the same time retain its original status as a State in the Union, and be entitled of right to representation in it.

THE BRITISH "REDISTRIBUTION BILL."—The effort of the Government to strengthen its side of the House of Commons by uniting with the Reform bill another bill, redistributing the seats of members so as to equalize representation, seems likely to add as many to its enemies as to its friends.

DECLINES RE-ELECTION.—The statement which we see going the rounds of the various Indiana papers, that the Hon. Henry S. Lane has declined re-election, is, we hope, without foundation.

A PROPER NOMINATION.—We notice among the names sent into the Senate by the President, yesterday, that of WILLIAM PRESCOTT SMITH, Esq., for the post of Collector of Internal Revenue for the Third District of Maryland, which includes the city of Baltimore.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL. Special Despatches to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, May 22.

THE APPROPRIATIONS FOR FORTIFICATIONS. The amount of appropriations made by vote of the Senate to-day for fortifications was \$1,540,000.

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Decesse of a Richmond Paper. The Richmond Republic, once a loyal Union paper, but which has lately tried to sustain the President's policy, died to-day, leaving none to regret its demise.

The Grade of General. The Senate Military Committee have made an amendment to the House bill creating the grade of General, which increases the total pay and emoluments to near \$30,000.

Paymaster Walker. appointed by the President into the Regular Army, is the brother-in-law of Mr. Blaine, Representative from Maine.

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The President. A bill passed by the House authorizes the President, in addition to the present officers of his household, to employ—

A Private Secretary, at a salary of \$4000 Assistant Secretary, " " 3000

Mr. Spalding moved to add a stenographer, at \$2000. This, however, was withdrawn, and the bill went through, 60 to 28.

PETROLEUM IN BELGIUM.—A spring of petroleum oil was discovered recently by some workmen while digging a well at Ledeburg, in the environs of Brussels.

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SPECIAL NOTICES. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HIGHWAYS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Sealed Proposals will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock P. M. on MONDAY, May 22, 1866.

THE FORTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY of the American Sunday School Union will be held at the ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Broad Street, on Thursday Evening, May 24, at a quarter to 8 o'clock.

NOTICE. ADAMS EXPRESS COMPANY. On and after TUESDAY, May 1, the FREIGHT DEPARTMENT

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On Tuesday, May 22, at 12 o'clock, at Birch's Art Gallery, No. 1110 Chestnut Street, at quarter before 8 o'clock, under the management of Mr. A. Castet, Director of the French Etching Club.

The collection comprises the works of the following celebrated masters, viz.:

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